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HARVARD PROFESSOR TO LECTURE ON
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MISSOULA--

George W. MacRae, S.J., Stillman Professor of Roman Catholic Studies at Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., will present a lecture entitled "The Revolt Against Yahweh--The Gnostic Religion" Monday (May 7) at 8 p.m. in the University of Montana Women's Center, room 215.

The lecture, sponsored by the UM School of Fine Arts and Department of Religious Studies, is open to the public without charge.

MacRae served as coeditor of "New Testament Abstracts" from 1967-72. Those abstracts include works from a major library of Coptic Gnostic texts, dating at least to the Fourth Century A.D., discovered near Nag Hammadi, Egypt in 1946.

An international team of scholars is working on the translation and publication of the religious documents.

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